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General Ivanov's Memorandum on Updated Schedule for Operation Anadyr 13 September 1962

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Memorandum for the record

[Translator's note: The upper left part of the title is missing on the reproduced copy because something was laid over it] of units for the "Anadyr'" measure [a word or two missed]

September-October 1962

In connection with the requirement to complete the shipments for the "Anadyr" measure by 1 November 1962 and by additional dispatch of combat equipment (a squadron of IL-28 aircraft, three "Luna" battalions, a PRTB, and support units) an updated [utochnennyy] and accelerated schedule for the loading and dispatch of units for September and October for the "Anadyr" measure is being submitted.

The updated schedule envisions:

- an additional allocation of five ships for September to send the squadron of IL-28 aircraft, three "Luna" battalions, a PRTB, and their support units and two ships to transport special fuels (one ship in September and the second in October);
- the shipping front for loading missile units is being expanded the loading will be done at three ports (Baltiysk, Nikolayev, and Sevastopol') instead of the two ports (Nikolayev, Sevastopol') planned earlier;
 - the loading times for a majority of ships is being reduced from 6 to 4 days;
 - the unloading times for ships at their destinations is being reduced.

The arrival of transport ships at their port of destination is planned to be by 1 November and only two transports – Kasimov and Krasnograd - with a missile division of the 668th Missile Regiment will arrive at designated place on 3 and 5 November.

General-Colonel

13 September 1962

[signature]

S. P. Ivanov

[Notation in a different hand: "Reported to the Minister of Defense in the presence of the Chief of the General Staff and the Chief of the Main Operations Directorate 27-9 [[illegible signature]]

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